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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 39
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National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
5	5

Strategic Intent

- Continue to support IA/emerging incidents and new IMT 1/2 deployments.
- Keep existing incidents staffed by replacing timed out resources as needed.
- Allocate critical resources to augment crucial missions and expedite incident objectives.

PNW Incident Priorities (*set daily*):

<u>Priority</u>	<u>Fire</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>IC</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
1	Initial Attack			Initial attack is always the first priority.
2	Ford Corkscrew	WA-NES	Bernal	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations. IMT assessing and developing strategies and tactics.
3	Schneider Springs/Windy Pass	WA-OWF	L. Minton	Level 2 and 3 evacuations (additional level 3 near Nile). Continued growth towards values at risk.
4	Walker Creek	WA-NES	Winfield	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations. Continued fire spread towards structures on south flank. Fire growth on Chickadee.
5	Fox Complex	OR-FWF	L. Smith	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations. Focus on implementing indirect strategies on north flank of Patton Meadow.
6	Devils Knob Complex	OR-UPF	DeMasters	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations. Indirect strategy over large portion of the complex. GB Team 2 (DeMasters) assumed command at 0600 today.
7	Summit Trail/Upper Lime Creek	WA-COA	Lawson	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations (being evaluated today). Significant precipitation on east flank of fire.



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8	Cub Creek 2/ Muckamuck/ Cedar Creek/Delancy	WA-NES	M. Minton	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations (additional level 2, Conconully reduced to level 1). Muckamuck priority fire.
9	Rough Patch Complex/Jack	OR-UPF	DeMasters	Chaos is priority fire. Big box strategy being implemented, emphasis on preventing spread west towards private.
10	Middle Fork Complex	OR-WIF	Johnson	Level 1 and 3 evacuations. Kwis evacuations at level 1. Focus on indirect line construction on north and south flanks of Gales. Gales and Nine mile merged.
11	Black Butte	OR-MAF	Sheldon	No evacuation levels. Making good progress. Focus on the west flank.
12	Lick Creek/ Green Ridge	OR-UMF	Hagan	Level 1, 2, and 3 evacuations. Building indirect line on south flank. Green Ridge southern flank continues to burn into wilderness.
13	Skyline Ridge Complex	OR-732S	Hessel	Level 1 evacuations. Poole fire only uncontained fire in complex. TOC to IMT3 on Thursday 8/19/2021 end of shift.
14	Whitmore	WA-COA	Schindelar	Level 1 evacuations. TOC on Friday 8/20/2021 back to local unit.

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Date